

ABSTRACT

The load of each gateway for connecting the mobile network and a predetermined communication network is distributed. In each gateway, data stored in a predetermined information server connected to the communication network is obtained in response to a request from the mobile terminal; the format of the obtained data is converted according to restrictions on resources of the mobile terminal; load imposed on predetermined processes including the data obtainment and the format conversion is measured; and load data indicating information relating to the measured load is sent. In a mobile communication control apparatus for selecting one of the gateways, the load data communicated from each gateway is stored, and when receiving a request for obtaining the data stored in the information server from the mobile terminal, the apparatus selects a gateway based on the load data.